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Most Noted Dignitary
in America Among
Russian Worshippers
in Charge of Program.

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Numerous Societies Here to
Participate in Events of
Day--Edifice Richly Deco-
rated for the Occasion.

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The church and grounds were beautifully decorated in honor of the occasion, and leading to the church door on Lookout avenue, was an arch of greens on which the words of welcome were displayed in large letters. About 50 brotherhoods were here from along the valley and Pittsburgh, two bands, the Charleroi Concert Band and St. Michael's band of Donora met the marchers at their point of entrance into town and during the day rendered inspiring music, the ceremonies closing with two selections by these bands.

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朋友们对 WARD ASK FOR PARDON

Effort to be Made to Have Man
Now in Penitentiary
Set Free.

Notice is being given that an application for the pardon of Frederick Ward, defendant, convicted of the charge of conspiracy at the May term, 1908, will be asked for on November 16. Ward was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, a fine of five hundred dollars, to the commonwealth, and undergo an imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary at Allegheny for the period of one year and six months. He forfeited his bail and escaped from arrest for a time but was captured later and committed to the penitentiary.

DELEGATES ARRIVE FOR CONVENTION OF SYNOD

Delegates began arriving this afternoon for the Sixty-eighth annual convention of the Pittsburgh Synod of the Lutheran church to open here this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A five days' session will be held and during that time the delegates will be entertained by members of the local congregation and by hotels. At the synod and the new officers will assume their duties. New pastors will be introduced.

BIG RALLY SCHEDULED FOR PITTSBURG TONIGHT

State Candidates Will Speak on North Side.

BERRY IS LOSING GROUND

Chances of Matthews for Congress Constantly Improving.

Congressman John K. Tener and the other Republican State candidates will open the campaign in Allegheny county with a big mass meeting to be held at Northside, Carnegie Hall, this evening. This afternoon a reception is being given to the candidates at Republican headquarters from 3 to 5. Mr. Tener and his party are at the Fort Pitt Hotel in Pittsburgh, where they spent Sunday.

Mr. Tener is well satisfied with his campaign. After a tour of 32 out of the 67 counties, conditions are found to be in first-class shape. Last week Mr. Tener and his party were in the Twenty-fourth, the Twenty-fifth and Twenty-eighth Congressional districts, and the old campaigners with the party say that conditions are infinitely better than four years ago. Henry Houck, who was a candidate for Auditor General then as well as now, says there is nothing like the aggressive opposition they encountered in the Stuart campaign.

Charles Matthews, the Republican candidate for Congress in the Twenty-fourth district, is said to be a sure winner to succeed Mr. Tener. While the Acheson people succeeded in getting his Democratic opponent, Henry Wilson of Beaver county, endorsed by the Keystone party in this district and are doing what they can to defeat Republicanism in Washington county, the Keystone following in Lawrence county are for Matthews as well as for the Republican candidate for Assembly. This is alienating the Democrats in the district who were disposed at first to follow Berry.

Senator Grim, the Democratic candidate for Governor, is gaining ground as he goes the rounds of his campaign and is especially heading off the defections in his party toward the Keystone ticket. Both of the campaign organizations agree that Berry is losing ground all along the line, and that he is not putting up anywhere near the aggressive battle that Emery, the independent candidate for

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J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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The management of the Palace Theatre has engaged the popular soloist and composer Francis Mack, and he will sing at this popular amusement house every evening. Mr. Mack possesses a rich and powerful baritone voice of excellent quality and range, and is considered among the very best vocalists. As the composer of the sentimental ballad "No One Knows" Mr. Mack has achieved enviable fame and tonight he will be heard in his own composition. Mr. Mack just closed an engagement of 52 weeks on the Lubin circuit of theatres which embrace the largest cities throughout the country. As a baritone singer Mr. Mack has few equals and a rare treat is in store for all who hear him.

VESTA MINERS RETURN TO WORK THIS MORNING AFTER THREE WEEKS STRIKE

MAKING SEARCH FOR SUPPOSED FIREBUGS

In a fire believed to be of incendiary insurance.

synod, will make the president's address, his topic to be "Steadfast in Faith and Service." Holy communion will follow and the evening's program will conclude with a reception to the delegates given by local members. Tomorrow morning the convention will be the organization of the

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When the use of safety lamps was recommended the miners went on strike but later agreed to use them in one entry as demanded by the officials. Then the officials refused to allow them to go to work, it is understood, and from that time forth it has been a case of lock out. Friday was the first day that President Feehan could come and after seeing the officials he conferred with the miners with the result that everything was made satisfactory for the men going back to work.

There are between 300 and 400 men employed at the Vesta mines. Some of the entries have been worked out it is said, and during the time of the strike, the company filled their orders from another mine near Brownsville.

DISTRICT CONVENTION TO BE HELD OCTOBER 23

Anybody Lose Horse? One Found in Pieces

Train Hits Animal and Scatters Parts of Body Along Track.

If any person hereabouts lost a horse or cow he can find it in pieces scattered along the railroad tracks up near Beechwood park crossing. Saturday night some time some kind of an animal was struck by a train and the next morning parts of it were discovered along the tracks for a distance of about a quarter mile. The largest piece indicates that the animal was a horse.

YOUNG HIT BY TRAIN

Body of Coal Center Man Found Along Tracks.

Edward Springer, about 55 years old of Bentleyville, after suffering but one day of typhoid fever, died at his home Saturday and the funeral took place Sunday afternoon. Interment was in the Maple Creek cemetery. Mr. Springer was a wellknown resident of Bentleyville, where he has lived for years. His death coming so unexpectedly has been a great shock to his many friends. Two sons and one daughter, Clyde, Vernon and Lillian, with the widow survive.

HOWE'S SHOWS AT WINTER QUARTERS

Circus Breaks Up for Season After Appearance Here Saturday.

Howe's Great London Shows, after their final appearance of the season here on Saturday left Sunday for their winter quarters at Verona. Little of the stock will be kept there however. The horses were taken to the Bert Long farm, near Carmichaels, Greene county, and will be kept in training on a small track there while the animals were loaned out to Highland Park Zoo Pittsburgh.

Jogging Along Comfortably

The candidates of the Keystone Party will tell us that they represent a great spiritual awakening in politics, but the average citizen will after fair consideration of the facts concede that the Republican administration of Pennsylvania affairs for the past four years has been a model one, and that there is no necessity for making any new and doubtful experiments. --Connellsville Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Strausser were McKeesport visitors with friends on Sunday.

President Feehan Settles
All Contentions Between
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Men at Recent Visit.

WERE OUT THREE WEEKS

Use of Safety Lamps in Parts
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EDITOR SCHUCK IS CANDIDATE FOR ASSEMBLY

Monessen Man Well Known
as Staunch Republican
Throughout District.

Editor Carey L. Schuck of the Monessen News is one of the legislative nominees in the Second Westmoreland district. He was elected to fill a vacancy at the extraordinary session of 1906, and in 1908 was elected for a regular term. The Republicans nominated him in June.

Mr. Schuck is a product of Ohio, having been born near Findlay on July 26, 1872. He was raised on a farm and taught school for two years. He was graduated from the Eastman Business College in 1891, and from the Ohio State University in 1898. After four years' work on newspapers in Columbus, O., and in Pittsburgh, he took up his residence in Monessen, where he is now owner and editor of the News.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Byerly and Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reeves were over Sunday guests of friends in Fairmont, W. Va., making the trip in Mr. Byerly's Buick automobile.

Miss Helen Meeker is a Pittsburgh visitor today.

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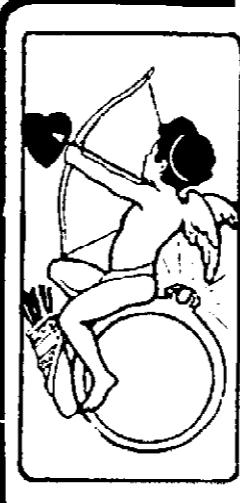
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ARAB ENCAMPMENTS.

The Crowded Tents In Which the Shepherd Warriors Live.

Arabs are true Ishmaelites. Their life is a constant wandering. They live entirely on the produce of their herds. Their tents are quickly taken down or put up and easy of transport. They are made of camel's hair, loosely woven, supported on poles or long guy ropes. They protect the occupants from the hot sun, but not from the rain, and in winter the encampments are uncomfortable places.

The interior is crowded with all the belongings of these shepherd warriors—camel saddles and gaudy saddle bags, rifles and ammunition, hunting dogs and falcons. The women occupy one half; the men use the other, partitioned off by a brightly colored curtain. The whole of the front of the tent being open, there is no privacy. The average tent measures twenty yards by six.

The chief of the tribe, however, owns many tents, and he has for his use one giant structure, sometimes spread over a length of thirty-six yards. In his other tents the chief keeps his numerous wives, who have a certain proportion of their master's flocks and herds to look after. Having a separate tent for each wife, he thus does away with all chance of domestic quarrels.—Argoutant.

THREE YEARS LATE.

A Train That Won the Behind Time Record Medal.

A train of a railway system in the southwest once arrived at its destination nearly three years late. The circumstances were these:

The train left Bolivar, just across Galveston bay from Galveston, on Sept. 8, 1900, and was caught in the great storm that so nearly destroyed the Texan city. Bolivar is seventy-five miles from Beaumont, which was the point of the train's destination. Before the train had traveled far on its journey it was caught in the storm. Thirty miles of the track were washed away, and the train was left stranded on a sandy waste. Many persons who lived on Bolivar peninsula were saved from death by taking refuge in the train. After the storm subsided they walked to Bolivar with the passengers, but the abandoned train was left on the prairie.

The storm bankrupted the railway, and no effort to rescue the engine and cars was made until 1903. Had not the road suffered so seriously in that storm the property would have proved of great value a few months later, when oil was struck at Beaumont. In 1903, however, the road underwent repairs, when the train was drawn into Beaumont, where it was greeted by a cheering crowd.—New York Press.

The Diplomatic Room.

One of the most interesting and most visited places in Washington is the diplomatic reception room in the department of state, where the secretary of state transacts his business with the envoys of foreign governments. This room is close to the secretary's office and looks southward to the Potowmack, the Washington monument looming up with stately effect at the left. Thursday of each week is set apart for the diplomats, who are received in this famous room by the secretary of state or the official who may be acting in his absence. The room itself when not occupied by the foreign representatives is open to the public. In it most of our treaties of recent years have been signed, and many have been the notable assemblages gathered within its walls.—New York Press.

Prices Paid by Forty-niners.

Here is the price list on the "carte" of the Eldorado hotel of Placerville, Cal., in the days when it entertained the forty-niners. "Payable in advance," it proclaims; "gold scales at the end of bar."

A "square meal, with dessert," is priced at \$3, and other items that probably interested the patrons of the Eldorado are set forth as follows: Beef, Mexican prime cut, \$1.50; beef, upjiong, \$1.50; beef, plain, \$1; beef with a potato, fair size, \$1.25; beef, tame, from the states, \$1.50; also two potatoes, medium size, 50 cents; two potatoes, peeled, 75 cents; hash, low grade, 75 cents; hash, 18 carat, \$1; rice pudding, plain, 75 cents; rice pudding and brandy peaches, \$1.—Los Angeles Times.

Eleven in a Bed.

In early Victorian times the workman was accustomed to rough it. Isabella Fyvie Mayo in her "Recollection" mentions that one flourishing firm of bakers—patronized by royalty—"kept eleven men and had only one bed for them all. During the twenty-four hours they occupied it turn and turn about. One of these unfortunates was generally in Charing Cross hospital, and the 'master' got a reputation for generosity by his yearly subscription to its funds."

Very Likely.

Albert—A dog that runs under a carriage is called a carriage dog. Is it not? Egbert—Certainly.

Albert—Well, what would you call a dog that runs under a motor car?

Egbert—Why, a dead one.

Economy of Time.

Friend—I say, one of your clocks is slow and the other's fast. Young Lawyer—Yes; I start work by the slow one and stop by the other.—Life.

Discretion of speech is more desirable than eloquence.

A LONG WASH DAY.

It Lasted a Week, but Came Only Four Times a Year.

Every one has heard of the German and Dutch method of accumulating soiled clothes and of having a wash day only two or three times a year. Not every one realizes, perhaps, that the custom was brought over to this country from Holland and that the Dutch settlers long continued its practice. In these days of the ever ready laundry it is strange to read of the laborious period which came to our New Amsterdam ancestors four times a year. Helen Evertson Smith tells about it in "Colonial Days and Ways."

The custom of quarterly clothes washings was maintained notwithstanding our summer heats and the immense quantities of clothes necessary to keep up the state of cleanliness required by Dutch instincts. A New Englander who had married a citizen of New York writes in 1760 of this practice, which was undoubtedly strange to her:

"Grandmother Blum is so deep in her quarterly wash this week that she has time only to send her love."

The washing was done in an out-house called the bleekeryen, where the water was boiled in immense kettles and all the other processes of the laundry work carried on. The work required not less than a week, frequently two weeks.

During the time preceding this cruelly hard labor the soiled clothes were accumulating in very large hampers of open basketwork. This custom originated the necessity for the great stores of linen with which every bride was provided.

PARSLEY SUPERSTITIONS.

Sinister Beliefs Associated With the Plant In England.

Many superstitions are connected with the herb parsley, probably through an ancient Greek practice, the graves of the dead being strewn with it and the plant thereby gaining a sinister significance.

In Hampshire it is considered very unlucky to give a root of this herb away, since they say that if this be done ill luck will fall upon them.

In Devonshire to transplant parsley is likewise to commit a serious offense against the guardian genius who presides over the plants. In Suffolk it is said that if parsley be sown on Good Friday it will grow well and flourish, but if it be sown on any other day it will not come double.

In Shropshire they have a saying that where parsley grows in the garden "th' missis is master." In Buckinghamshire parsley is regarded as a somewhat uncanny herb, and an old gardener once assured me on hearing the lament that the seed I had sown had not come up that it was necessary to sow parsley for nine times before one could get any to grow. This saying I have heard later in Shropshire, where they say the devil takes all but the last. Likewise, too, in Shropshire they say that to transplant parsley will bring about a death.—Westminster Review.

An Oversight.

To impress on young children just what should and should not be done and why is among the most trying problems of parents, as evidenced by the recent experience of a West Philadelphia mother. Last Sunday she asked her small son, aged eight, to carry a chair for her from the dining room to the parlor. He started off willingly, but in the hall he tripped and fell. Amid the crash could be heard the boy giving vent to utterances that would have done credit to a pirate of ancient days. The mother was taken by surprise and was greatly shocked. She gave the boy a long and serious talk on the subject of profanity. This apparently did not make the right impression, for when she concluded the boy added to her discomfiture by exclaiming, "I am sorry I swore, mamma, but I forgot it was Sunday."—Philadelphia Record.

Thackeray on Fame.

Thackeray's literary work did not help him much when he sought to enter the house of commons. The Rev. Frederick Meyrick in his "Memories of Oxford" tells of a dinner given when he stood as a Liberal for that city: "I remarked to him that his must be a special experience, as he was known by fame to most of those whose votes he canvassed. 'Now,' he said, laying down his knife and fork and holding up a finger, 'there was only one man among all that I went to see who had heard my name before, and he was a circulating librarian. Such is mortal fame!'" That was in 1857, ten years after the publication of "Vanity Fair."

New Family.

"Mamma," asked the little boy, "who are the Highwaters?" "Highwaters?" answered the mother. "I don't know any such family. Why do you ask?"

"Well, I heard Mr. Perkins ask papa if he'd be over to the little game tonight, and papa said he'd be there in spite of Hel a Highwater!"—Chicago Post.

A Morning Call.

Swanson (sobfully)—Is Miss Tremmer in? No—said—She is, sir, but she is engag'd. Swanson (who had settled things the evening before)—Yes, I know for the young man

Specialist.

A compositor on being remonstrated with for not using properly punctuated his words replied, "I am a writer, not a printer."

Cruels and fear shake hands together.

The Turkish Doctor's Oath.

In Turkey they have a Hippocratic oath, though they do not call it by that name. It is given in Al Kulliyeh, the magazine published by the Syrian Protestant college in Beirut. To each of the graduates in medicine the oath was administered by the Turkish head of the medical examining board. We cite a few of the pledges:

"That when I am called at the same time by two different patients, the one rich and the other poor, I will accept the call of the poor without taking into consideration the money offered and will do my best for his treatment, and that I will never decline to answer any call, day or night, during the reign of common diseases or of an epidemic or of contagious diseases.

"That I will not ask extra fees from the patients and will not act against my conscience by exaggerating their sickness in order to get the calling fees.

"That in case of a doubt as to the treatment of a patient I will not leave his life in danger through a failure to consult other doctors on account of my pride."

Modern Bookmaking.

A large bindery may have a capacity of 10,000 books a day. The resources of some of these binderies are wonderful. There is an instance on record where a publishing house took an order on Monday for a cloth covered 12mo. volume of 350 pages and actually shipped 2,000 copies of the book on the following Wednesday. The type was set by machinery for the entire 350 pages before work stopped Monday night. Electrotype plates were made so rapidly that on Tuesday morning several printing presses were set in motion. In the meantime covers were made in the bindery, and by Wednesday morning the binders had the book in hand. Two thousand volumes were completed that day, and the edition of 10,000 was entirely out of the way before Saturday night. In modern bookbinding machinery, as in the production of printing presses, America leads the world.—Philadelphia North American.

Women Prisoners In Japan.

The cells in every Japanese prison are practically sleeping dormitories, as the prisoners are engaged in the work sheds all day or attending lectures and lessons in educational subjects, deportment and morality. The small Japanese woman prisoner is even taught how to serve tea properly, because the Japanese have grasped the fundamental truth that whatever raises a woman's self respect helps to eliminate bad habits—in a word, to reform her. The keen zest of the prisoners in Japan contrasts with the hopeless, huddled lot of our women prisoners in England. In Japan the women prisoners are learning, learning, learning all the time. They are given prizes and decorative rewards for excellence. They are being encouraged instead of repressed. Everything is done to instill a real desire for permanent reform.—London Tit-Bits.

In Memoriam.

A policeman was entertaining some friends to an afternoon tea, when one of them, with an inquisitive turn of mind, happened to see on a shelf a glass shade, underneath which was a brick, with some flowers upon it.

The friend, thinking they were mere ornaments of some heroic deeds or were perhaps of some historical interest, asked the policeman why he kept that brick underneath the glass shade.

"That brick," replied the son of the night, "is what I had thrown at me at the last election."

"And what about the flowers?" further inquired the friend.

"Them flowers," continued the policeman, with a smile that wouldn't come off, "came off the grave of the man that threw the brick!"—Pearson's

A Banquet For Horses.

Banquets prepared exclusively for animals are not altogether unknown in England. The aged inmates of the Home of Rest for Horses, Westcroft farm, Cricklewood, celebrate each New Year's day with a sumptuous repast.

The menu for the last banquet consisted of lumps of sugar, chopped carrots, apples, brown and white bread and biscuits. These were mixed together in a wooden box and placed outside each stable door.—London Family Herald.

Still In the Ring.

"I bear your engagement with young Gotrox has been broken off," said the first fair daughter of Eve.

"Well, you are entitled to another bearing," rejoined fair daughter No. 2 as she held up a graceful hand on which a solitaire sparkled. "You can see for yourself that I am still in the ring."

Hard Luck.

Chief—Tell me, sir, why you have so utterly failed to get a clew to this crime. Detective—Tain't my fault. The reporters are down on me, an' they won't tell me nothing!—Cleveland Leader.

His Exact Weight.

Angler (who is telling his big fish story)—What weight was he? Well, they hadn't right weights at the inn, but he weighed exactly a flatiron, two eggs and a bit of soap.—Punch.

Art Today.

"She is being fitted for the stage." "Studying hard, I presume?"

"Oh, no; just being fitted with the necessary gowns."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Cruels and fear shake hands together.

—Baizac.

He Was Too Enthusiastic.

Hank Dolbs was noted as an "honest" horse trader. He would not lie about a horse. He would merely suppress the truth incidentally he always beat the customer who dealt with him. The way he could stir over the defects and buzz about the virtues of an animal amounted to genius.

Once Hank was trying to sell a neighbor a horse that had an eye which was nearly sightless. The neighbor knew Hank would not lie outright to him, so he questioned the horse trader as to the various points of the animal.

"How about his eyesight? Can he see out of both eyes?"

"Sure," said Hank. "He's got good eyes." Here he leaned forward, his eyes fairly scintillating with suppressed honesty. "One eye is particularly good."

Hank's enthusiasm for the truth had carried him too far. The deal was off.—Tulsa (Okla.) Post.

Hair Monstrosities.

French theater managers in the eighteenth century had worse evils than picture hats to contend against. Marie Antoinette, who was short, even according to French standards, set the fashion of high coiffures and ultra fashionable women prided themselves on measuring four feet from their chins to the tops of their heads. These structures took about six hours to erect, the hairdresser mounting a ladder in the process. Some coiffures were almost as broad as they were long, with wings sticking out about eight inches on each side of the head. For the "frigate" coiffure the hair was rippled in a huge pile to represent the waves of an angry sea and surrounded by a fully rigged ship. As a consequence of these monstrosities, disturbances in theaters occurred almost daily until an ordinance was issued against the admission of women with high coiffures to the floor of the house.

Three Curious Bells.

There is a curious legend connected with the bells of Messingham church. It is said that a long, long time ago a traveler was passing through Messingham when he noticed three men sitting on a stile in the churchyard and saying, "Come to church, Thompson; come to church, Brown," and so on. Being very much surprised, he asked what it meant and was told that, having no bells, they called folks to church in this way. The traveler remarked that it was a pity so fine a church should be without bells and at the same time asked, "Would you, if I could, make three for the church, promising to pay for them himself?" They undertook to do this. They were respectively a tinker, a carpenter and a shoemaker. When next the traveler passed by he found the three men ringing three bells which said, "Ting, tong, pluff," being made respectively of tin, wood and leather!—London Tit-Bits.

Calling on Tennyson.

A young American girl, who with her mother had called at Farringford to see the famous poet Tennyson, but was not received, shortly after expressed her regret to Mrs. Cameron, Tennyson's neighbor, who was also his intimate friend and a lady at once charming and masterful.

"Oh, so he wouldn't see you!" cried Mrs. Cameron indignantly. "Come with me!"

She took the reluctant American straight back to Tennyson's house and without knocking or ringing, went into the room where he sat with his wife.

"Alfred," said she as the two looked up, startled, "these strangers came from a far country to see the lion of Freshwater, and behold—a bear!"

Tennyson burst out laughing and became amiable at once.

Taking a Chance.

The mistress was giving Harriet the benefit of her advice and counsel, touching a momentous step the latter contemplated.

"Of course, Harriet," said the lady of the house, "if you intend to get married that's your own business, but you mustn't forget that marriage is a very serious matter."

"Yis, mum," said Harriet; "yis, mum, I know 'tis sometimes, mum. But, mum, maybe I'll have better luck than you did, mum!"—Brooklyn Life.

His Nationality.

The little girl had come home from school and was telling the family about a certain stout man that had lectured to them in the morning. When through her father said:

"What nationality was the man, daughter?"

"Brooken English," she replied.—Exchange.

Considerate.

Friend—Now that you have been married some time, old friend, tell me frankly your opinion on the marriage state. Much Married Man (to his wife)—Just go outside, my dear, will you?—Fliegende Blätter.

Ready.

He—I wonder what your father will say when I ask him for your hand. She—Don't worry about that, dear. He rehearsed it with me this morning, and he does it beautifully.

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Notice is being given that an application for the pardon of Frederick Ward, defendant, convicted of the charge of conspiracy at the May term, 1908, will be asked for on November 16. Ward was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, a fine of five hundred dollars, to the Commonwealth, and undergo an imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary at Allegheny for the period of one year and six months. He forfeited his bail and escaped, escaped arrest for a time but was captured later and committed to the penitentiary.

DELEGATES ARRIVE FOR CONVENTION OF SYNOD

Delegates began arriving this afternoon for the Sixty-eighth annual convention of the Pittsburgh Synod of the Lutheran church to open here this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A five days' session will be held and during the time the delegates will be entertained by members of the local congregation and by hotels. At the synod the new officers will assume their duties. New pastors will be Turkle, D. D., president of the introduced.

BIG RALLY SCHEDULED FOR PITTSBURG TONIGHT

State Candidates Will Speak on North Side.

BERRY IS LOSING GROUND

Chances of Matthews for Congress Constantly Improving.

Congressman John K. Tener and the other Republican State candidates will open the campaign in Allegheny county with a big mass meeting to be held at Northside, Carnegie Hall, this evening. This afternoon a reception is being given to the candidates at Republican headquarters from 3 to 5.

Mr. Tener and his party are at the Fort Pitt Hotel in Pittsburgh, where they spent Sunday.

Mr. Tener is well satisfied with his campaign. After a tour of 32 of the 67 counties, conditions are found to be in first-class shape. Last week Mr. Tener and his party were in the Twenty-fourth, the Twenty-fifth and Twenty-eighth Congressional districts, and the old campaigners with the party say that conditions are infinitely better than four years ago.

Henry Houck, who was a candidate for Auditor General then as well as now, says there is nothing like the aggressive opposition they encountered in the Stuart campaign.

Charles Matthews, the Republican candidate for Congress in the Twenty-fourth district, is said to be a sure winner to succeed Mr. Tener. While the Aebson people succeeded in getting his Democratic opponent, Henry Wilson of Beaver county, endorsed by the Keystone party in this district and are doing what they can to defeat Republicanism in Washington county, the Keystone following in Lawrence county are for Matthews as well as for the Republican candidates for Assembly.

This is alienating the Democrats in the district who were disposed at first to follow Berry.

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VESTA MINERS RETURN TO WORK THIS MORNING AFTER THREE WEEKS STRIKE

MAKING SEARCH FOR SUPPOSED FIREBUGS

In a fire believed to be of incendiary origin the house occupied by Thomas

Waller and family and located on the Mrs. Amanda Bailey farm one mile west of Centreville was totally destroyed with all its contents Sunday morning. The house was valued at about \$2,500. It was partly insured. Bloodhounds were put on the trail of the alleged incendiaries yesterday.

President Feehan Settles All Contentions Between Officials and Men at Recent Visit.

WERE OUT THREE WEEKS

Use of Safety Lamps in Parts of the Mine Occasioned Misunderstanding Which Led to Worse Trouble.

DISTRICT CONVENTION TO BE HELD OCTOBER 23

Anybody Lose Horse? One Found in Pieces

Train Hits Animal and Scatters Parts of Body Along Track.

Committee Plans to Secure Noted State Speaker.

PROGRAM BEING ARRANGED

Session Will Open With Talks to Beginners by County Workers.

Preliminary arrangements were made and a provisional program was mapped out for the Charleroi District Sunday school convention, at a meeting of the district committee yesterday. The convention will be held at the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church October 23, and as a feature of the evening program, it is hoped to have one of the chief speakers of the State Sunday School convention at Altoona this week.

The opening meeting of the session will be at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the primary department. Mrs. Mary L. Stewart, the county field secretary, and Miss Cooper of Monongahela, the county primary superintendent, will speak. Following this meeting will be an adult's meeting at 3 o'clock, for which speakers are being arranged. The big session will be in the evening.

A feature of the convention will be the election of officers. J. K. Brumbaugh is now president; Prof. J. G. Pantz, superintendent of the teacher's training class; Miss Grace Golder, superintendent children's department; James Myers superintendent of temperance department; James Lilly, superintendent of home department, Rev. J. T. Hackett, superintendent of Adult Bible class department.

AUTO PARTIES TAKE TRIP TO UNIONTOWN

Two auto parties from Charleroi made a trip to the Summit Hotel near Uniontown yesterday where they spent the day. In one machine, driven by D. M. McCloskey, Esq., were Miss Grace McGraw of Pittsburgh, Miss Virginia Jenkins of Centerville and L. L. Chandler of Pittsburgh. In the other machine were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Chandler and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Brown, Mrs. A. F. Chandler and Seifers Chandler all of Pittsburg.

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YOUNG HIT BY TRAIN

Body of Coal Center Man Found Along Tracks.

Lying along the bank by the railroad tracks between the Globe tipple and Coal Centre, was found the horribly mang'd body of James T. Young, of near Coal Centre yesterday morning. Young had evidently been dead for some time. The body was taken to California. Young was between 55 and 60 years old.

On Saturday Young came to Charleroi to attend Howe's circus, and it is supposed that he went to Lucyville on the car late at night and started to walk the railroad tracks to Coal Centre. Failing to get out of the way of an on-coming train he was struck and thrown a distance, being almost instantly killed. What time the accident happened is a question. He was unmarried and lived at the home of William Bailey, a farmer near Coal Centre. His nearest known relative is a cousin, B. F. Young of Brownsville. The funeral occurred this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Both of the campaign organizations agree that Berry is losing ground all along the line, and that he is not putting up anywhere near the aggressive battle that Emery, the independent candidate for

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NEW SINGER ENGAGED FOR PALACE THEATRE

Composer to Sing His Own Songs During Nights This Week

The management of the Palace

soloist and composer Francis Mack, and he will sing at this popular amusement house every evening. Mr. Mack possesses a rich and powerful baritone voice of excellent quality and range, and is considered among the very best vocalists. As the composer of the sentimental ballad "No One Knows," Mr. Mack has achieved enviable fame and tonight he will be heard in his own composition. Mr. Mack just closed an engagement of 52 weeks on the Lubin circuit of theatres which embrace the largest cities throughout the country. As a baritone singer Mr. Mack has few equals and a rare treat is in store for all who hear him.

HOWE'S SHOWS AT WINTER QUARTERS

Circus Breaks Up for Season

After Appearance

Here Saturday.

Howe's Great London Shows, after their final appearance of the season here on Saturday left Sunday for their winter quarters at Verona. Little of the stock will be kept there however. The horses were taken to the Bert Long farm, near Carmihiel, Greene county, and will be kept in training on a small track there while the animals were loaned out to Highland Park Zoo Pittsburgh.

Jogging Along Comfortably

The candidates of the Keystone Party will tell us that they represent a great spiritual awakening in politics, but the average citizen will after fair consideration of the facts concede that the Keystone administration of Pennsylvania affairs for the past four years has been a model one, and that there is no necessity for making any new and doubtful experiments. --Connellyville Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Strausser were McKeesport visitors with friends on Sunday.



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Oct. 10 In American History.

1738—Benjamin West, celebrated painter living in England, born; died 1820.

1828—Samuel Jackson Randall, statesman, born; died 1850.

1843—United States Naval academy opened at Annapolis.

1872—William Henry Seward, statesman, died; born 1801. Seward was Lincoln's principal rival in the Chicago convention in 1860. He was secretary of state throughout the civil war.

1901—Lorenzo Snow, president of the Mormon church, died; born 1814.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 5:24, rises 6:03; moon sets 9:46 p. m.; rises 6:30 a. m., eastern time. Moon at first quarter in constellation Sagittarius; Mercury visible; uesteroid Vesta (diameter 250 miles) visible, passing 1 degree north of star Gamma in Cetus in southeast in evening; sun's declination 10 degrees 40 minutes south of celestial equator.

Best Workers Are Silent

The Williamsport News, replying to the criticisms of the opposition that John K. Tener is not a furious orator or a fluent talker, says it is much to his credit that he has not wasted his time studying the spellbinder's art, but devoted his energies to more substantial things. "Too often," says the News, "the mistake has been made of judging a man by his ability to utter so many words in a given time, to speak with the volubility of a fish-wife, and to gain the applause of the unthinking. That mistake has placed in office many a demagogue who would have better fitted in the position of 'autocrat' at a country vendue."

Commenting on this, the Punxsutawney Spirit says: "True, every word of it. A finished orator may be an artist and a poet, but he is seldom a practical or constructive statesman. It is seldom that men of force have the oratorical temperament. Roosevelt and Taft always read their speeches, and the men who do things in Congress are not the entertainers and gallery idols. They are the plain, blunt fellows, who hit the bull's eye with a brick. It is what a man says and the character behind it to make good and not the graces of speech and gesture, that are important."

"We are always suspicious of the man who is an exceptionally glib talker, because the greatest flim-flambers are the smoothest talkers. Honesty, courage and capacity are the essential things, and there is always something in the personality of a man of force and integrity that impresses an intelligent audience more than words."

"According to all reports Mr. Tener is winning the hearts of the people wherever he appears, which is the essential thing."

Reduces Sickness

No State in the union is doing more to protect the health of the people and reduce sickness than the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Since the credit as the man who is shot in war,

State Board of Health began its crusade to prevent contamination of the streams and water supplies of cities and towns as well as the whole country, deaths from typhoid fever are 2,500 a year less than four years ago, when the movement began. In 1906, fifty-six out of every hundred thousand people in Pennsylvania died from typhoid fever. In 1909 the mortality from this disease was but twenty-three out of every hundred thousand.

In 1905 the State began the free distribution of anti-toxins among poor people in Pennsylvania. Then forty-two out of every hundred children who had diphtheria died of the disease. Now there are but eight deaths out of every hundred cases of diphtheria. In addition to this the State maintains free tuberculosis dispensaries throughout the State. Two sanatoriums for the treatment of tuberculosis patients have already been established by the State and a third is soon to be opened. Up to June 30, over thirty-two thousand poor sufferers have received free treatment for the Great White Plague at the hands of the State.

These, with the inspection of food, are some of the things the State is doing for the people, in addition to maintaining the government, protecting life and property and building roads, and helping to take care of the sick and insane in the hospitals and asylums. When it is considered that a per capita tax of but fourteen cents a year is collected from each inhabitant, the efficiency of the administration cannot be very well questioned.

Keep Well

With the meteorological changes that are now taking place, it is a duty incumbent upon every individual to look after his health, and to guard against all deleterious influences that are so prevalent at this season of the year. Many cases of sickness are contracted at the "betwixt and between" season, because people are careless of about themselves because they think it is too chilly for summer conditions and not old enough to prepare for winter. It is this condition that oft-times sows the seeds of permanent disease and prolongs cases of sickness later on.

The practice of medicine is not an exact science, and the intelligent observance of sanitary and hygienic laws is doing more each year to prevent sickness and to cure the afflicted than any other means. It is generally agreed that physical culture and exercise judiciously taken, together with pure air, will accomplish infinitely more than drugs. While a hypodermic injection of morphine will no doubt relieve a rheumatic limb or an aching muscle, it is now generally conceded that warmth and massage are infinitely better and more rational treatment. The art of keeping well is but a rational comprehension of correct physical laws and their proper observance, and is therefore largely a matter of volition.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Galluses and vests have become very fashionable articles of men's apparel.

"He who pays quickly pays twice," is an old saying. Applying it to present day finance is an easy matter for some folks.

Carnival companies have a warm spot for Monessen. One of them is going to winter there.

It might not be so bad to go to an insane asylum, but when a man has to be brought back into court to testify and endure the gaze of curiosity seekers, he feels too much like the man who gets licked in politics.

Next will follow the discovery that Business Men of Charleroi did not endorse Mr. Tener by the Washington Observer and the Pittsburgh Leader. The editors of these papers display much acumen in their discoveries.

Creditor—I ask you for the last time to pay me that \$50 you owe me.

Debtor—Thank goodness there's an end to that silly question.

The man who lost his life trying to return an umbrella to the rightful owner died with as much glory to his credit as the man who is shot in war.

If the pictures of the actress who caused King Manuel of Portugal to lose his throne are true to life, there is some excuse for the King, if little sympathy.

THE WAY OF THE SWISS.

Foreigners Regarded as Egyptians and Treated Accordingly.

A foreign resident in Switzerland was fined 10 francs because his little girl had plucked three buttercups growing on a piece of land on which she and some half dozen Swiss children had for years been accustomed to play. The land had recently changed hands, and its new owner had put up a notice forbidding the plucking of flowers. A passing gendarme had found the children flagrantly delinquent and had forthwith instituted proceedings against the little foreigner, while letting the little natives go scot-free. The child's father appealed against the sentence and by dint of hard bargaining, which entailed, of course, expense, forced the higher court to reduce the fine to 10 francs to 3—i. e., 1 franc for each buttercup.

When I tried to learn the whys and wherefores of this case I was told by a Swiss in a chowder of every time levied goes to the gendarme who reports the offense for which it is levied, and also that Swiss gendarmes cannot fairly be expected to be quite so alert in taking proceedings against their own country people as against foreigners.

Further, I was told by an American that in Switzerland the foreigners rank as Egyptians and that the one Scriptural injunction that is faithfully obeyed there is that which ordains that Egyptians shall be spoiled.—From "The Latter Day Swiss" in Cornhill Magazine.

A Famous Opal.

The most famous opal in history was that which was worn in a ring by the Roman senator Nonius in the day of the triumvirate. Its size equaled that of a medium sized hazelnut, yet its beauty and brilliancy rendered it a marvel among the diamonds of Rome, especially when it was known that the goldsmiths and money changers had set its value at \$100,000. Mark Anthony made overtures to Nonius for its purchase, intending it to be given to Cleopatra, but the senator refused to part with it and for fear that it would be taken from him by sheer force sought safety in flight. Here history loses all trace of this famous gem, there being no record of its transference from Nonius to any of his family.

Money Boxes

Money boxes to encourage thrift among the penny wise are ancient and popular institutions. A dictionary of 1555 mentions "money boxes of potter's clay" wherein boys put their money to keep, and doubtless the thrifty child of all ages had his money box of some sort or another. Of late years the has been the favorite material, but the writer has recollections of an elaborate earthenware thatched cottage, into which the money was dropped through a slit in the roof, which only infinite patience could bit again when it came to wriggling the money out. As a lock up investment that cottage was no equalled.—Glasgow Herald

Watching the Head Hunters.

In the Kongo one of the most industrious peoples are the Bateba. In gathering rubber they go into the forests inhabited by the Bantu head hunting cannibals. While the men are in the forest the camp is guarded by a man who surveys the surroundings from a scaffold and by a drummer. When the Bantu are seen to approach the drummer beats the alarm and all the men return to the camp to fight. The weapons used are the spear, shield, bow and arrow. This sentinel earns in the neighborhood of \$100 of our money a year, which enables him to buy a wife.—Christian Herald.

Naming a Yacht.

The naming of a boat is no holiday task, and authors particularly proud of a title are tolerably sure to discover that it has been already used. But the naming of a yacht is almost a greater perplexity. Plagiarism may in this case result in practical confusion, causing the most awkward consequences, and not all titles to which, in search of variety, recourse has already been had are satisfactory from all points of view. Not long ago, for instance, a very grave British cabinet minister, perhaps wishing for once to be sprightly, called his yacht Flirt. He had not consulted his family, who were, however, quite sure, he thought, to delight in his outburst of levity. However, his daughters naturally remarked how very disagreeable it would be to go ashore with that label around their hats.

The Tell tale.

A college girl told bow she had been cured of the ugly habit, when a little girl of sticking out her tongue when writing. She was working on a writing lesson one day when the teacher called to her the full length of the room: "Now, you are making capital! I when I asked for capital P's."

"How did you know that I was wrong?" the little girl asked.

"I could tell," said the teacher, "by your tongue."—Detroit Free Press.

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HIS TWO BAD DAYS.

Lord Byron Had a Positive Dread of Fridays and Sundays.

The belief in palmists and soothsayers is not, as is sometimes supposed, confined to the ignorant and the credulous. Lord Byron was not a skeptic in these matters. Just before his death, as recorded in "Byron—The Last Phase," by Richard Edgcumbe, he said he had reflected a great deal on a prediction which had been made to him when a boy by a fated fortune teller in Sicily. His mother, who firmly believed in horomancy and astrology, had sent for this person and desired him to inform her what would be the future destiny of her son. Having examined minutely the palm of his hand, the man looked at him for awhile seriously and then with a solemn voice exclaimed, "Beware of your thirty-seventh year, my young lord, beware." He had entered on his thirty-seventh year on Jan. 22, and it was evident from the emotion with which he related this circumstance that the caution of the palmist had produced a deep impression on his mind, which in many respects was so superstitious that we thought it proper to accuse him of superstition. To say the truth, answered his lordship, I find it equally difficult to know what not to believe. * * * You will, I know, ridiculize my belief as lucky and unlucky days, but no consideration can now induce me to undertake anything either on a Friday or Sunday. I am positive it would terminate unfortunately. Every one of my misfortunes—and God knows I have had many—has happened to be on one of those days."—London Gentlewoman.

It is called, and is being used for a variety of purposes under the name of kieselguhr. It is employed as a vehicle or absorbent for nitroglycerine, and the resultant paste is dynamite. Dynamite is an excellent nonconductor of heat, and in this capacity it is used for filling the hollow interiors of the walls of safes, as a lining for stoves and furnaces and as a covering for steam pipes and boilers. For such purposes as these it has an advantage over asbestos in the matter of price and also of weight.

It can be made into bricks or slabs by the addition of a small quantity of lime or clay, and these bricks can be raised to a white heat without showing any signs of fusion.

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to his wife in 1828, "than Thackeray's way of living from hand to mouth. I mean in regard to the way he furnishes food to the printer's devil. Here he is just finishing the number that must appear in a few days. Of course whether ill or well, stupid or fertile, he must produce the same amount of fun, pathos, or sentiment. His gun must be regularly loaded and discharged at command. I should think it would wear his life out." Motley's fears were realized within a few years.—London Chronicle.

DIATOMITE.

Infusorial Earth Formed by Bodies of Minute Shellfish.

Platoms are tiny creatures that grow very rapidly until they form a scum upon the surface of the water in many parts of the world. They are rarely more than one-hundredth part of an inch in diameter and often considerably less. Their shells are composed of silica, and these shells are well known to the microscopist on account of their great beauty.

When the little creatures die the shells sink to the bottom of the stream or pond, where they form a kind of siliceous mud, and there are vast deposits of this material in various parts of the earth. This infusorial earth, as it is called, has been christened diatomite, and it is being used for a variety of purposes under the name of kieselguhr. It is employed as a vehicle or absorbent for nitroglycerine, and the resultant paste is dynamite. Dynamite is an excellent nonconductor of heat, and in this capacity it is used for filling the hollow interiors of the walls of safes, as a lining for stoves and furnaces and as a covering for steam pipes and boilers. For such purposes as these it has an advantage over asbestos in the matter of price and also of weight.

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